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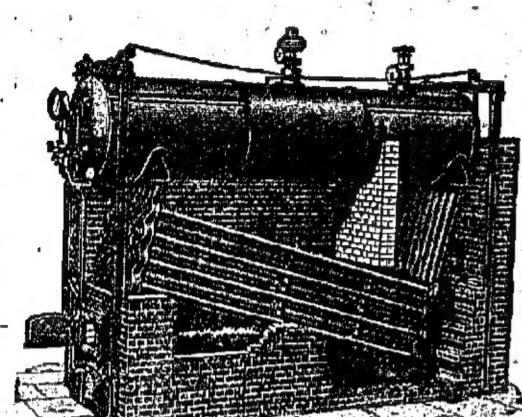
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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SIXTY-FIRST ANNUAL MEETthe 1st February, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, Directors together with Statement of Acdoctaring a Dividend and electing Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

By Order of the Board of Directors, Care of Chin's Mail 'Office. T. ARNOLD,

Secretary. Hongkong, January 16, 1900.

PATENT SMOKELESS SPORTING CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, October 31, 1899. 2393: NOTICE is hereby given that an EX-TRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co spany will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 9. Praya Central, on TUESDAY, the 23rd of January, Instant, at Ivoon, when the subjoined SOUTH AFRICAN WAR FUND.

THE Undersigned guarantees to PAY
the above FUND ONE CENT for every Bortle of Tansan that is Purchased up to the time when the Fund is CLOSED.

Tasketh, at Incon, when the subjoined Resolutions will be proposed.

Should the Resolutions be passed by the required majority, they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions at a Second Extraordinary General Meeting, which will be subsequently convened.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the Ista Incompany will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the Incompany will be CLOSED from MONDAY.

That the Capital of the Company be in-

That the commission of the General Managers be reduced to 5 per cent., and that the figure '8' in the sixth paragraph of Article XI. of the Articles of Association of the Company be struck out and the figure '5' substituted therefor."

. SHITWAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 16, 1000.

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD-

ING COMPANY, LIMITED. ALLUZZI, of the Royal Toine of Narles, is preparimited number of pupils.

SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on TUESDAY, the 6th February.

1900, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1899.

31st December, 1899. The REGISTER of SHARES of the THE CELEBRATED BEER OF Company will be CLOSED from SATUR-DAY; the 27th January, to TUESDAY, the 6th February (both days inclusive), during which period no transf r of Shares

can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors, A SHELTON HOOPER Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Coy., Ltd., agents for the Kowloon Land and Building Company, Ltd.

HONGKONG PHILHARMONIC

SOCIETY, &

Hongkong, January 16, 1900.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Society will take place all applications for Storage of Goods should at 4.41 p.m., on FRIDAY, the 26th Inst., be made to them.

A. H. BOTTENHELM, Acting Hon, Sec., Hongkong. Philharmonic Society. Hongkong, January 17, 1900.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the TWELFTH ORDINARY MEET-ING of SHARFHOLDERS in this Com-ING of the MEDICAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY in China will be held in
Canton, at the House of Meisser Survey, to the Company will be held at the Office pany will be held at the Company's Offices,
treats and Co., on SATURDAY, January of the Company, No. 18, Bank Buildings, Victoria Buildings, on WEDNESDAY, the
Queen's Road Central, on THURSDAY,

20th, at 2.30 p.m. together with a Statement of Accounts, counts for the year ending 31st December,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-panywill be CLOSED from the 19th January Company will be CLOSED from MON-to the 1st February, both days inclusive. DAY, the 16th January, to WEDNESDAY, the 24th January, (both days inclusive) during which period no TRANSFER of SHARES can be registered.

By order of the Board of Directors.

A SHELTON HOOPER,

Hongkong, January 2, 1900.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COM

PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ELEVENTH ORDINARY MEET-ING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices. Victoria Buildings, on WEDNESDAY, the

hat the Capital of the Company be in-creased to \$2,000,000 by the creation and issue of 50,000 New Shares of which Period NO TRANSFER of

SHARES can be Registered. By Urder of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER

Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency, Co., Ltd., General Agents for The West Point Building Co., Ltd. Hongkong, January 2, 1900.

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Gibb, Livingston & Co. Jan: 27, at Noon

Nippon Yuson Kaisha. Jan. 26, at 4 p. m.

Norddeutscher Lloyd Jap. 24, at mon.

Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Jan. 20, at 4 p.m.

P. & O. S. N. Co..... Jan. 20, at noon.

Carlowitz & Co..... Jany yy 29.

Carlowitz & Co..... About Feb. 8.

Butterfield & Swire. January 26.

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Butterfield & Swire February 2.

Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Jan. 22, at noon.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

10, General. - GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hsin Chi, Chinese str., from Canton.

Singan, British str., from Canton.

January 10.

Whenpon, British str., from Canton.

Lycemoon, German str., from Canton.

Pengeng, German str., 953, R. Köhler,

Kanayawa Marn, Japanese str., 3,807,

John McKenzie, London and Singapore

Jan. 13, General. - NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Baiching, British steamer, 1,267,

Rajang Dec. 13, Timber.-MASTER.

Davis, Foochow January 16, Amoy 17, and

DEPARTURES.

January 19.

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PASSENGERS.

Per Guthric, from Sydney, &c., Mr and

Mrs Rozario, Mr and Mrs E. P. Mistre,

Mrs D. M. das Dores Carlos and child, Rev.

S. Bernardo, Messra Grafflin Cook, J. F.

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Silva Loynes, Z. S. Piri, J. Fernancez, Z.

Martin, C. N. da Silva, E. A. de Silva, J.

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Hsin Yu. for Shanghai.

Whampout, for Wahn.

Formost, for Swatow.

Singan, for Shanghai.

St. Regulus, for Shanghai.

Butterfield & Swire ... Jan. 25.

P. . O. S. N. Co. ... About Jan. 20.

Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Jan. 26, at 4 p.m.

Shewan, Tomes & Co. Jan. 22, at 5 p.m.

Jardine Matheson&Co Jan. 23, at 4 p.m.

Mossagories Maritimos Jan 29, at I p.m.

Nippon Yuson Kaisha Jan. 26, daylight.

Butterfield & Swire ... February 20.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping.

Daylight. - Formost leaves for Swatow.

Auctions.

11 a.m.-Auction of Steam-launch

DOUGLAS' WHARY,depth 64 feet. Hongkong, January 19, 1900. Rooms, Ico House Street, PETS, Ere, and two Broyces. Tenms ;-As Usual. . Tenns :-- As Customary. Catalogues now ready. Rooms, Ice House Street,-AUCTION. GRAND STAND Enclosure. TERMS: -As usual. Hongkong, January 18, 1900. To-day's Advertisements TO LET. TROM the 1st February Next. A 4-ROOMED HOUSE, in 'RICH-MOND TERRACE. HUMPHBEYS ESTATE & FINANCE Co., LTD. above ports, Consigneds of Cargo are hereby

Vessels Advertised as Loading. Auctions. PUBLIC AUCTION. Vessels. Destination. THE Undersigned has received instruc-L tions to sell by Public Auction, Australian Ports Eastern (a) TO-MORROW, Australian Ports Yawata Maru (8).... Bremen & Ports of Call Karlsruhe (8) the 20th January, 1900, at 11 A.M., at Havre and Hamburg. Wittenberg (8). Havre and Hamburg. Holsatia (8)..... Havre and Hamburg. Babelsburg (a) ... The well-known Havre and Hamburg. Westphalia (a) STEAM-LAUNCH WINDSOR Kobe and Yokohama. Kanagawa Muru (s). HOTEL. Kobe Changsha (s)..... Length over all 631 feet, beam 111 feet, ... Pyrrhus (8)y London & Ports of Call Massilia (s. Torms :- Cash on fall of hammer. London v. Sucz Canal Antenor (8) London v Suez Canal Monolaus (8) ... GEO. P. LAMMERT, London v. Sucz Canal Stontor (a) Manila..... Yawata Maru (s).... Manila Dinmante (a) PUBLIC AUCTION. Loongsang (a)..... Manila Sungkiang (s) THE Undersigned have received instruc-Marseilles v. Saigon., Caledonien (a) tions to Sell by Public Auction, Marseilles, London, &c. Kamakura Maru (8). (For Acount of the Concerned). N'saki, Kobe & Y'ma, Kasuga Maru (s) N'saki, Kobo & Y'ma. Rohilla (8) New Yorky Sucz Canal Asturia (8) SATURDAY, New York v. Suoz Canal Afridi (a) ... the 20th January, at 2,30, at their Sales New Yorky. Sucz Canal Queen Eleonor (s) ... Portland, Oregon ... Albergeldie (a)...... SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. Rotterdam & London Cowrie (8) Samarang& Sourabaya Kansu (8) Comprising :-San Diego v. Japan. . Carlisle City (s) DRAWING ROOM SUITE, WARDROBES with Francisco v. Japan: Copcie (a) BEVELLED OLASS, BUREAU with GLASS. DRES-S. Francisco v. Japan. Algon (8)...... sing Tables with blass, Desks, Marble-S. Francisco v. Japan. America Maru (8) TOP WASHSTANDS, IRON BEDSTEADS, BRASS Shanghai Woosung (6) & IRON FENDER AND SET OF FIRE-IRONS, COOKING STOVES, BLACKWOOD FURNITURE, S'hai, Yma & Kobo . Westphalia (8) VIENNA CHAIRS DINNER SERVICE, GLASS S'tow, Amoy, &F'chow Haiching (R) Swatow, Amoy & T'sui Formosa (8)..... Douglas Lapraik & Co Jan. 20, at 10 a.m. WARE, CUTLERY, CROCKERY, Rugs, CAR-Swatow, Amoy & T'sui Maidzuru Maru (s) Tacoma (Wash.) &c Broconshire (a) Vancouver (B.C.), &s Empress of India (s)... ONE BILLIARD TABLE by TRUBSTON & Yokahama Szechuen (s) Co., with Balls, MARKING BOARD, CEES, Yokohama Sakura Maru(a)..... To-day's Advertisements . HUGHES & HOUGH, Hongkong, January 17, 1900, PUBLIC AUGTION THE Undersigned has received instruc-IN THE SUPREME COURT OF tions to Sell by Public Auction, HONGKONG. SATURDAY, In the Mutter of the Estate of JOHN GEORGE LYON WEBSTER, late the 20th January, 1900, at 2.30 r.m., at of Victoria, in the Colony of Honghis Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,kong, Mercantile Assistant, De-A VERY FINE SELECTION TOTICE is hereby given that His Hon. POSTAGE STAMPS. WILLIAM MEIGH GOODMAN, Acting Chief Justice, bus, by virtue of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 3 of 1897, made an Order limiting to the 19th day of February, 1900, GEO. P. LAMMERT, for sending in Claims against the above Hongkong, January 16, 1900. All Creditors are hereby required to send their Claims to the undersigned before the PUBLIC AUDTION. said date. Dated this 19th day of January, 1900. THE Undersigned have received instruc-ARATHOON SETH, I tions to Sell by Public Auction, Official Administrator, . Co. (For Account of the Concerned). FOR SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA AND MONDAY. THE H. A. L. Steamship the 22nd January, at 3 p.m., at their Sales WESTPHALIA. Captain STRUNCH, will be despatched for THE VALUABLE PROPERTY KNOWN AS the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 20th 'DUNNOTTAR. Inst., at 5 p.m. For Freight, apply to on RUBAL BUILDING LOT No. 20, The PEAK. SIEMSSEN & Co., For further particulars, apply to Messrs, LINSTEAD & DAVIS, 142 Ambria, for Colombo. Hongkong, January 19, 1900. HUGHES & HOUGH, DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Devawongse, for Swatow. Auguoneers LIMITED. Hongkong, January 13, 1900. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. THE Company's Steamship HAICHING, Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above Port on SUNDAY, the 21st Inst., PUBLIC AUCTION. at Daylight. THE Undersigned will LET by Public For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. 149 Carvalho, J. S. Crabel, B. L. Maclure, TUESDAY, Hongkong, January 19, 1900. the 23rd day of January, at 3 o'clock P.M., NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. ON THE SPOT, The Several Lots Numbered 1 to 19, FOR MANILA. on PLAN, to be seen at the Auctioneers THE Company's Steamship Office, for Erection of BOOTHS and YAWATA MARU, MATSHEDS on the Government Ground 3,800 Tons Gross, Captain A. E. Moses, adjoining the RACE Course, North of the will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 26th Instant, at 4 p.m. This New Mail Steamer is specially con-For Conditions of Sale, apply to structed for service in the Tropics, and HUGHES & HOUGH. is provided with superior accommodation Government Auctioneers. and with all modern, fittings and improve-Hongkong, January 15, 1900. ments for the safety and comfort of Passengers. Electric Light and Refrigerator; PUBLIC AUCTION. Doctor and Stewardess carried. Return Tickets issued by this Company THE Undersigned has received instrucare available for return by Steamers of the tions to Sell by Public Auction, other Lines For Freight or Passage, apply to WEDNESDAY, A. S. MIHARA, the 24th January, 1900, at 2.45 P.M., at Hongkeng, January 19, 1900. ROSE VILLA WEST, BONHAM ROAD,-THE WHOLE OF THE OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. FOR LIVERPOOL DIRECT. (Particulars can be seen from Catalogue, Taking Cargo at Lox non rates. which will be issued prior to Sale). THE Company's Steamship Tenus :- As Customary. PYRRHUS, On view from Tuesday, the 23rd Jan. Captain Barr, will be despatched as above

Consul Playfair, Mr Sutherland, Miss Mc-Lelland, Master Remedios, Mr Chung, and 115 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Guthrie reports . Left Sydney on the afternoon of Dec. 28th; a strong S'ly breeze, increasing to fresh gale was experienced as far as Cape Moreton, when the weather moderated and the wind changed to N.E ; light to fresh winds from that direction, with squally and dirty weather, marked the rest of the run to Cleveland Bay; arriving there at midnight of Jan. 1st, left at 11 o'clock on the morning of 2nd inst, and arrived at Cairns late the same night. Proceeded on the voyage after a stay of an hour and half at that port; and arrived at Thursday Island on 146 the forencon of the 5th inst., having had light to fresh Ely wind and fine weather all through the inner route North of Townsville. Loft Thursday Island during the afternoon of the 5th inst., moderate to strong N.W. and W'ly wind and moderate seas, with frequent squalls and heavy rain were experienced during the passage to Dilly (Timor), which port was reached on the afternoon of the 9th inst. Left on the afternoon of the 10th, light winds and fine pleasant weather, were met with as far as Cabra ; during the passage across the China BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Sea, strong monsoon was experienced to the 117th parallel, when the weather moderated and became fine as the land was FROM HAMBURG, BREMEN, ANT The British steamer Haicking reports WERP, ROTTERDAM, PENANG

From Ecochow to Swatow, strong N.E. monsoons, cloudy, with high sen; from Swatow to Hongkong, light N.E. wind, smooth soa. In Amoy : 1 Japanese cruisor. MHE H. A. L. S. S. Westphalia, Captain Steamers in Amoy : Tammer, Hothow, Tui-STRUNCE, having arrived from the cheong, and Trum, requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI .-Per Formom, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, the 20th January. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. -The British Contract Packet Musilia will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 20th January, with Mails for

the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and countries beyond, rid Brindisi: to the Straits Settlements, Notherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. Registration at 10 a.m. Registration, with late fee of 10 cents, up ta 10.15 a.m. Letters at 11 n.m. (Late Letters, 11-10 to 11-30 a.m.) Supplementary, Mail on board up to the time fixed for the departure. Latte

Postage 10 cental

BIRTH. At Foochow, on Wednesday, 3rd Janwary, the Wife of Dr T. RENNIE, of a Son. DEATH. At the United States Consulate Coneral, Noon,—English Mail steamer leaves for Hongkoug, at 9 a.m., January 16th, 1900, Mrs Beetha Isabel Foote, Wife of Honor-4p.m. - Kanagawa Maru leaves for K'be

able W. W. Foote, of Oakland, California, and Aunt of Mrs Rounsevelle Wildman. The miblication of this issue commenced

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL.

(SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER.)

OUTWARD :- Alderney, Romney, Thordia,

Burdon, 19 : Babelaberg, 22 ;

Nov. 28 : Wakasa Mara; Yanarina, Dec.

turia, Benvenne, Dart, Lovstukken, Lyn-

rewait, Olympo, 20; Cerdon, Malacto.

Bruemer, Emma Lugkin, Oldenburg, St.

Andrews, Jan. 2: Laus, Nestor, Teenkai

Eresherzog, Ford nand, Denbighdiere, Or-

kar, 9; Andelnsia, Ixion, Calchas,

Savoia, Sado Mara, 12; Bayern, Heidel-

IOMEWARD :- Jana, Dec. 1; Canfa, 8

The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Bengal, with the

ENGLISH MAIL of 22nd Dec. left Singa-

pore on Sunday, the 14th Jan., at &

a.m., and may be expected here on or

about Saturday, the 20th Jan. This

Packet brings replies to letters

despatched from Hongkong on 18th

Kohe, via Nagasaki and Shanghai, on

Monday forenoon, the 15th Jan., and

from Berlin of 25th Dec., left Colombo

on Saturday affernoon, the 13th Jan.,

and may be expected here on or about

&c., left San Francisco for this port

via Horiolulu, Yokobama, Inland Sca,

Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, on tho

The O. & O Co.'s s.s. Guelie, with mails

Steamers Expected.

The H. A. L. steamer Alexie, from Ham-

The N. Y. K. s.s. Tawata Maru left Kobe,

here on or about the 23rd.

arrive here on the 23rd Jan.

Thursday, the 18th Jan.

on Sunday, the 21st Jan.

expected here on 23rd Jan.

about the 1st February.

for Hongkong.

the 15th Jan.

on the 17th Jan.

on the 20th Jan.

burg, left Singapore for this port on

the 17th Jan., and may be expected

via Moji and Nagasaki, for this port

on the 17th Jan , and is expected to

he E. A. Co. Ltd. s.s. Cathay left Singa-

The s.a. Chelydra, from Calcutta and

Saturday, the 13th Jan., at 5 p.m.

The N. G. I. s.s. Bisagno left Singapore

due here on or about the 19th Jan.

The C. M. Co.'s steamer Teenkai, from

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. Increase has arrived as

The N. P. Co.'s s. s. Tacoma has arrived

Kobe, and sailed on the 11th Jan.

at Kobe, and sailed for Hongkong, on

The N. P. Co.'s B.a. Glenogle has arrived

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. Abergeldie has arrived

The P. & O. Co. s s.s. Chusun left Bombay

The Cal, & O. s.s. Thyra left San Diego on

8th Jan. for Japan and Hongkong.

The N. P. Co. s a.s. City of London, sailed

from Tacoma, for Japan and Hong-

from Tacoma, for Japan and Hong-

Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. Sikh sailed from

Latest Advices.

arrivediat Nagazaki at 5 p.m., on Thurs-

day, the 18th Jan. and left at 3 a.m.,

on Friday, the 19th Jan., for Shang-

China Navigation Company's steamer

Chingtu. He fell overboard on the pre

yous Kriday. It was dark at the time

VESSELS AT THE DOORS :-- At Kondoon.

Klashiu Maru, U.S.S. Monadacck,

Composition - Don Juan de Austria

Trafalgar, Kiangtung, H.M.S. Tweeda

in an exhausted condition,

Menmuir, Daphna.

Aberdent,-(none).

Japan, &c., on 25th Dec.

kong, on the 5th Jan.

the 14th Jan.

Rescue of a Castaway.

kong, on the 13th Jan.

at Yokohama, and sails for Hongkong

at Yokohama, and sails for Hongkong

for this port on the afternoon of 8th

London and Liverpool, passed the

Canal on the 5th January, and may be

for this port on the 12th Jan., and is

pore on Wednesday, the 10th Jan.,

and may be expected here on or about

Straita, left Singapore for this port on

The Imp. German Mail s.s. Karlerahe left

The Imp. German Mail a.s. Oldenberg, car-

Tuesday, the 23rd Jan.

Thursday, the 25th Jan.

6th Jan.

barg, Hakata Maru, Nurnberg, 16.

berg, Jan. 9.

Morven, 12; Langbank, Eolns,

Windsor Hotel, at Douglus Whar! by G. P. Lammert. at 5,30 p.sa. 2.30 p.m.—Auction of Postage Stamps, by 5 r. Geo. P. Lammert. The China Mail. Miscollaneous.

2.45 p.m. - Pearson Cup and Spoons, Competition of Hongkong Rifle Asso-HONOKONO, PRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1900.

General Memoranda. Monday, January 22 :-3 p.m.-Auction of the Valuable Property known as Dunnottar, on Rural Building Lot No. 20, The Peaks Goods per Hyson not cleanal after noon subject to rent. Goods per Centon not cleared after 4

p.m. aubject to rent. Goods per St. Regulus undolivered after this date subject to rent. Noon,-Meeting of the China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co. Ltd., at the Office of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central.

3 p.m. - Auction of the Several Lots numbered 1 to 19, on Plan, at the Race Course, North of the Grand Stand Goods per Caledonien unclaimed after Noon, subject to rent.

Opium Quotations. Honokone, January 19, 1900. New Patna, cash, 915/920 Old Patria, cash, New Benares, cash, 910/9174 Old Benares, cash, Now Malwa, credit, Allowance, Toels, Last Year, 930 Allowance, Taels, Old Malwa credit, Allowance, Taels,.... Persian, Oily, cash, Allowance Taols. Persian, Paper tied long cakes, 870 Allowance, Taels, Persian, Paper tied short cakes 660

Exchange. Honogone, January 19, 1900. On London-On demand, ... 4 months sight,1/111 Credits. 4 Haiphong and Hoihow Jan. 18, Rice and Documentary, 4 months sight ... 2,01 On Paris On domand, ... 2.46 Credits, 4 months' sight, On Berlin-Demand,... ... On New York-On demand, Credits, 60 days' sight. ... Swatow 18, General, - Douglas Stramsur On Bombay-Stanfield, British barque, 650, H. Wilson, On demand. On Calcutta-Tientsin, British steamer, 1,250, Dawson, Baugkok Jan. 12, Rice.—BUTTERFIELD & On demand, On Singaporo— On demand. On Monila-On domand: ... On Shanghai -On demand. 30 days' sight, (private paper). ... 731 On Yokohama-On demand, ... 4% pm. Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael) :... Sovereigna (Bank's buying rate) ...\$10.17



The C. P. R. Co.'s s.a. Empress of India

hai, where she is due to arrive at a p.m., on Saturday, the 20th Jan. CHAMPAGNE QUALITY EATRA. The N. Y. K. B.s. Yauxeta Maru, (Australian Line) left Nagasaki for this por to-day, the 19th inst., and is expected to arrive here on the 23rd January.

and Leading Hotels.

\$40 per case, 1 doz. quarts. 2 doz. pints.

WATSON & Co. LIMITED.

Notes by the Way The Pacific Cable Board commenced its meetings in Loudon on the 17th Doc.

from Manila

The wily burglar has started his round the European houses at Kowloon.

Mr Noel Calvort, an Australian volunteer, has been given a commission in the 6th Dragoon Guards.

The Austral Wheel Race at Melbourne was won by P. R. Beauchamp, of Launcoton, with a handicap of 150 yards.

The U. S. transport Celtic has gone Australia for supplies of frezen meat, &c., for the American troops in the Philippines.

structed cruisers Isla de Luzon and Isla

Cuba arrived yesterday by the steamer In

The crews for the American recon

The match played yesterday between the Hongkong C. C. and the Royal Engineers ended in a win for the Club by I goal merzin, 5; Glenturret, Afghanisten, Tus- to nil.

Thoold Hohensollern (now Ussuri) has entered upon her new work of carrying Bingo Marn, 19; St. Jerome, 29; Bann- Russian troops between Port Arthur and Vladivostock.

> The Russian railway line is going ahead at a rate that shames English concessionaires. The line from the Liaotung Peninsula is now constructed as far as Moukden, but is used only for Government purposes as yet.

may be expected here on or about the Australian Premiers that Volunteers liquor. for South Africa need not necessarily belong to regular volunteer organisations, a Share List. rying the German Mails with dates hearty response was made immediately the call for volunteers was announced. Many doctors are offering their assistance.

sentation is well deserved.

notice. The Government accepted the Cotton, Tls. 67. The O. S. S. Co. a and Product left Singa notice. The Government accepted the pore on the 16th Jan., and is due here offer, and another similar equation has been asked for instead of the battery of artillery which was offered by the Canadian Government. New South Wales proposes to send a similar troop of rough riders. The Cal. & O. B.s. Belgian King arrived at Yokohama on 9th Jan., and may be

The following is a copy of the telegram addressed by the War Office to the the NE part of the Sea of Japan. Gradiconsidered due at Hongkong on or Premier of New South Wales on the night Buller's defeat at Colenso was announced Referring to your telegram of December 14, her Majesty's Government willing to entertain favourably a further offer of troops from the colonies, if such offer be made. They will probably give preference to mounted troops. It is indispensable that the men should be trained, he good shots, and that they should bring their own burses.

The Plague.

Bubonic plague has made its appear-The s.s. Carmarthenshire left San Diego for | ance in New Caledonia, and the Australians are afraid of the introduction of the disease into the British Australasian Colonies. The N. P. Co,'s s.s. Queen Adeleride sailed

There will be a Football Match at Causeway Bay between the H.K. Engineers' F.C. and Royal Engineers' F.C. towill play for the Engineers :- Goal, G. Moore; backs, Dyer and Lapsley; halfbacks, Tuoby, Wilson and Ritchie; forwards, Blades, R. Henderson, McQuire, Smillie and Duncan.

A Dastardly Assault.

About three o'clock scaterday afternoon, a passenger by the Star Ferry Company's launch Heron committed a most destardly and unprovoked assault upon A Brisbane telegram, dated 26th Dec. the Portuguese ticket collector of the how hearty and unanimous were the others. ember, states :- Captain Henry, of the launch. The Heron was crossing the b.r. of assistance from all our Colonies. The schooner Tom Fisher, reports that while his bour to Kowloon, and the ticket collector movement was initiated by Queensland and vessel was at anchor on the 9th off Fitzroy applied to a private of the Royal Welch paper almost alone of the London P ress Island, a coloured man was seen standing Fusiliers named Raynolds for his fare. foresaw that war was inevitable. Eve n Mr on the beach. He was waving semething The soldier was in an intexicated condition Chamberlain expressed in his reply at that and calling for a boat. A boat was and refused to pay the money. An argue the offer would not arise. The names of despatched and the man was taken ment onsued, and the soldier spized hold of eleven Colonies in all are mentioned in this on board. He was ascertained to be the collector and threw him overboard. Correspondence, and they deserve to be renamed Simon Dimonte, seaman on the The hunch was immediately stopped and the Maley Straits, Lagos, New South the accident, and he had evidently not been missed, as the steamer proceeded on her way. He immediately struck out for Fitzroy Island, and after awimming for over four hours he managed to reach the beach kong Police Force. Isla de Cuba, Isla de Luzon, H.I.G.M.S. Hertha H.I.G.M.S. Gefion, Hongkong,

Stearns Headache Cure has been used the world over for years always reliable-widely imitated. All On he day when Sig George Turner vacat-CHEMISTS SUPPLY the genuite, when Considers supply the genuine, when edithe Fremier's office in Malbourne some States is saked for Wholesale and Retail was stuck on the door the managed from A. S. Walten & Co., Ltd., Hongkong, Back in Termitization.

Por the Front.

Hon. Lieut Batchelor, the popular Quarter-master of the King's Own Regiment, new in Singapore, has been ordered to the Cape. He goes as Quarter Master of a Militia Battalion boing went out.

"On Saturday, at 11.30 a.m., the H.K.C.C. will play the Navy on the Cricket Ground. The following is the Club team :- R. B. Johnston, G. R. Vallings, Capt. Laughorne, J. A. Lowson, F. Maitland, A. G. Ward, H. O. Hancock, R. G. Thomson, C. M. G., Burnie, E. H. Hinds, Capt. Dyson.

The Shell-Gathering Monopoly.

The case in which the Lee Hing Company are prosecuting five junkmen for the larceny of coral and shells from a prescribel area off the shore of Ping Chan Island was to have been heard this afternoon as the Magistracy. Mr D'Almada, who is inatructing Mr Francis in the case, appeared and intimated that the learned Counsel was unable to attend. The case was therefore, adjourned for a week.

Collection of Samples.

At the meeting of the Sanitary Board yesterday, Dr Hartigan, speaking with reference to the collection of samples for anlaysis under the Food and Drugs Act, said it seemed a very curious thing, knowing the amount of bad liquor there was about the Colony, that no bad linuor should be found. He asked who collected the samples. Dr Clark said the samples were collected by the Police. Dr Hartigan said the collection seemed to be a perfect farce. There ought to be some means of collection The Government having announced to by some man unknown to the seller of the

The following alterations in our share list are noted after the hour of correction : National Bank, \$20, Luyers; North-China, \$180, buyers; Yangtsze, \$115, sellers; Mr R. S. Gundry, Secretary of the Hongkong Fire, \$3321; China and Manila China Association in London, has been Steamship, \$85, buyers; Steamboat, \$31, presented by the members with £600 as an | sellers ; Indo-Chine, \$88; Star, \$20, acknowledgment of the work he performed sellers; China Sugar, \$118; Wharf, \$85, for the Association in past years in an sellers; Wanchai Warehouse, \$431, ex div., honorary capacity. Some of the amount | buyers; Hongkong Land, \$116k, buyers; was collected in Hongkong, and the pre- Humphreys', 89.35, buyers; West Point, \$35, sellers; Tramways, \$150, buyers; Jelebu, \$121, sellers; Punjom, \$5.90. In addition to the second contingent | sellers ; Great Eastern, 90 cents ; Queen's, of 1050 mon sent from Canada to South 30 cents; Olivers, A 885, and B \$6; Hotel, Africa, the north-western provinces of \$122, buyers; Electric, \$9.75, sellers; Canada offered to furnish a detachment of Gicon Island, \$29, sellers; Rope, \$275, 1000 experienced rough riders for active | buyers : Hongkong Cotton, 843, sellers ; service with the British army at a day's Ewe Cotton, Tls. 60; and International

> WEATHER REPORT. The following notice is issued from the Observatory :-

On the 19th at 11.55 a. The barometer has risen slightly on the E. coast of China. fallen a little on the S. const. Pressure is high over N. China and low, probably, in ents slight to moderate, with moderate mensoon on the coast and fresh monsoon in the N. part of the Chipa Sea. Forecast : -incdorate NE winds ; fair.

International Amenities at Southamp-

The following from the home papers of Dec. 5th tells of an interesting incldent which took place when the N.L. sis. Sachsen, which passed through Hongkong the other day, left Southampton :- The hired transport Pinemore laft Southampton this afternoon with the second section of the composite regiments of Household Cavalry under the command of Col. Calley, 1st Life Guarda, a draft of the 5th Dragoon Guarda and a detachment of the ammunition column, in all 17 officers, 470 men, and 395 lioress, for the Cape. A considerable number of people witnessed the departure of the vessel. Great enthusiasm was displayed earlier in the day. The North German Lloyd liner Sachsen, moored astern of the Pinemore, paid a great compliment to the troops on thoir arrival, greeting them with Rate Britmorrow; Kick-off 4 p.m. The following annia, played by the ship's band, spectators and soldiers cheering in response. Later on there was a further exchange of international courtesies. The German vessol on leaving struck up the British National Anthem, and dipped her ensign, troops and civilians demonstrating their appreciation by heartily cheering their German brethren.

> Volunteers for South Africa. The official desputches which have been

issued relating to the contribution of Colonial contingents for South Africa show turned round to pick up the collector, who, Wales, Hongkong, Now Zer Jand, Canada, Western Australia, Tasma nia, and South fortunately, was an expert awimmer. He Australia. But even this beat is not exhauswas picked up little the worse of his immer- tive, as offers have also o cen received from sion. On arrival at Kowloon, the soldier the West Indies and els e where. Upon the was put under arrest, and at the Magis, to be also noted. Our Yvar Office has comtracy to day Mr H. H. J. Gompertz im- plimented Canada on, it rapid organisation posed a line of \$15, and ordered \$10 to be and embarkation, and the Colonial Office has never failed ir, its courteous and sympatotid as compensation to the collector, thetic recognition of these offers of aid. In Roynolds had just completed a term of the words of Mr Chi mberlain, these are sarvice as a special constable in the Hong gratifying evidences on both sides of that growing fee ang of the unity and solidarity of the Empire which has marked the relations of Mother Country with the Colonies during recent years. ... St James & Budget.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 p.m. FURNISHED. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will TIROM APRIL 1st, 1900. be landed into the Godowns of THE Hong-GLENCOE MACDONNELL ROA KONG AND KOWLOON WHIRE AND GODOWN 7-ROOMS, LAWN and GARDEN. COMPANY, DIMITED, and Stored at Con-Apply to DENISON & RAM signees' risk and expense. Hongkong, January 19, 1900, No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have loft the Godowns, and all Goods HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATIO remaining undelivered after the 26th Inst. will be subject to rent. PEARSON CUP AND SPOONS. All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godwas, where they THO MORROW (SATURDAY), the 20th will be examined on the 26th Instant, Inst., at 2.45 p.m. RANGES 200, 500 and 600 Yards. No Fire Insurance has been effected SIEMSSER & Co. MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE

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Guthrie, British steamer, 1,494, A. E. Dabelle, Sydney Dec. 28, Townsville Jan. 2. Cairus 3. Thursday Island 5, and Timor Westphalia, German str., 2,300, Strunck, Hamburg and Singapore Jan. 11, General,

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THE WAR.

THE TUGELA RIVER CROSSED.

GENERALS BULLER AND WARREN ADVANCING ON LADYSMITH.

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

LONDON, January 19, 2.40 a.m. Lieut. - General Sir Rolvers Buller's column has succeeded in cossing the Tugela River at Potgoiters Buft to the west

of the Chievely and Colenso position. Lieut.-General Sir Charles Warren also succeeded in forcing the passage of the Tugels five miles further west of the point where General Buller crossed.

Neither of the forces met with much oppositions the libers being widently, sur-

wrised at the new movement.

The Boers are still entrenched in the neighbourhood, and furtherfighting is expected before the Ladysmith garrison is re-

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER GAZETTE.

LONDON, 16th Jinuary, 1900. THE WAR.-REINFORCEMENTS FOR THE FRONT.

It is reported that a new Naval Brigade, consisting of 720 men, eight 4.7 guns, 24 Maxims and ten twelve-pounders, will be formed next month and despatched to the

LADYSMITH. Dysentery is very rife at Ladysmith.

MAFEKING.

Router's Correspondent at Pretoria, 14th instant, says that the Boers claim to have attacked and demolished one of the forts at Mafeking on Friday, and the Commandant Delarey repulsed a British sortio to the

MODDER RIVER.

Reuter's Correspondental Modder River, 14th instant, says that the usual firing of the naval guns in the morning, met with noresponse. The health of the troops was

CAPE COLONY,

Official news from General French, dated Saturday, states that a force sont to sholl Colesborg road and bridge returned after shelling, without suffering my casualties. Whilst scouting at Coleslorg, on the 14th instant, Liout. Thompson, R.A., and a trooper were wounded and captured.

BRIDGE FOR THE TUGELA RIVER. A bridge made at Wednesbury in three weeks will be shipped on Saturday to

REUTER'S SERVICE.

LONDON, Lith January, 1900. PORTUGAL AND DELAGOA BAY. Portugal has declared that she will neither sell, cede, nor lease any of her colonial possessions.

MARTIAL LAW IN CAPE COLONY. Sir Alfred Milner has proclaimed martial law in the districts of Philipstown and Hopetown.

THE WAR.—THE TUGELA RIVER. Very heavy Artillery fiting was heard on-Monday in the direction of Springfield.

THE FREE STATERS AND THE WAR

Various reports are current that the Free Staters are desirous of ending the war. It. is stated that at a Council recently held at Bloemfontein it was declared that if the British did not attack by the 17th instant the Free Staters would return to their

Loncon, 17th January, 1900. THE BUNDESRATH INCIDENT.

The steamer Bundearah will be released immediately. Great Brilin, besides have ang deeply irritated Germany, will have to pay a heavy indomnity.

CONTINGENT:

The second Sydney Contingent has sailed anidst boundless enthusasm.

LOSSES AT RENSBERG. The British losses at Rensberg on the 15th instant were 7 killed and 6 wounded,

Captain Orr, of the Yorkshires, dangerously. Stearns' Headache Cure

is for sale by all Chemists. He sure and got the genuine, as it is widely imitated. Stearns is the original and genuine. Wholesale and Retail from A. S. Watson & Co., Lad., Hongkong.

HE HAD CAUSE TO REJOICE. · A young man came into our store yes-

HONGKONG BUAT CLUB. BCBATCH BACK Yesterday, a scratch race was rowed between three craws of the Hongkong Boat Club, with the following result ;-

FO. I BOAT. H. M. Bain, cox. 11, M. Young, stroke R. F. Johnston, No. 3 C. T. Butsch. No. 2

O. H. Gale, No. 1 NO. 3 BOAT. ... 2

F. White, cux-A. Ellis, stroko J. F. Fredericks, No. 3 O. T. Katach, No. 2 Capiain Warren, No. 1 NO. 2 BOAT.

Nightingale, cox. J. Danby, stroke H. Yonta, No. 3. Major Watson, No. 2

W. Cumming, No. 1 It was a close race between the first an third boats to the end, when Young spurted and won by a length.

PIRATICAL ENCOUNTER IN MIRS BAY.

TWO MEN DROWNED. of a piratical outrage which took place There is no definite news from Lady 17th January. The first report was made by the master of a fishing junk, and was the effect that he was fishing in the vicinity consequence of their wrong-doing. He of the Nine Pius when a Chin-chew boat, containing six men, came alongside. They naked to be supplied with a lobster, which request was refused, and the fishing junk sailed away. The men in the Chin-chew boat produced rifles and fired at the junk, injuring two of the crew-one in the log that both defendants were closely conand the other in the head. Both these nected with the complainant and with the men were sent to the hospital: Later on second report was made by the master of another junk that a similar boat to the one described by the first informer had attacked his junk in the waters of Mirs Bay. In the conflict, the pirates threw overboard the a more or less a family affair that he conson of the fisherman, and he was drowned. The ruffians stole a large quantity of clothing, money and jewellery. Inquiries, were made into the matter, and it was found that the two figling beats were in company when the encounted with the pirates took place. and that the scene of the engagement was not in the vicinity of the Nine Pins but they had pleaded guilty. somewhere near Ngo Kung, on the sa tern coast of Mirs Bay. It appears that in attempting to board the first junk three of the pirates were thrown into the water and in the Original Civil Jurisdiction of the one of them was drowned, and being repelled in their attack on the first junk they rowed over to the other junk, which they dants, praying that a deed of assignment, were successful in boarding. Out of revenge for the loss of one of their number.

> in enquiring into the matter. SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

BAILORS' AND BOLDIERS' FAMILIES FUND Sir T. Jackson neknowledges receipt the following subscriptions to the above

Fund:	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Already acknowledged	70,630,
Collected by Mr H. D. C. Jones -	100
in Manila and Cavite	8,088.3
British Community, Nagasaki	2,583.
Concerts in City Hall	1,800.
Proceeds of 2 Football Matches.	562.
Cinomatograph Entertainment	1 2 4
in City Hall.	214
Captain and Crow R.M.S. Em-	4
press of China	150.
B. C. Goorge Scutt, Canton	130
European Police Force	301.3
Indian do.	60.
Chinese do.	50.
Two Clerks, do. Capt. Blaxland	10
Capt. Blaxland	25
F. J. Badeley Grasshopper Cottam & Co. Rev. D. Sutherland	25
Grashopper	20
Cottam & Co.	10
Rev. D. Sutherland	10
M. P.	. 5
M. P. S. L. Jenkins	
TOURS CHRESP,	4
Kowloon Concert-deduction	A

Baden-Powell as Sherlock Holmes. Of Colonel Baden-Powell. M.A.P.

tells interesting stories. Riding across a open grass plain in Matsbeleland, he noticed that the grass had been recently trodden down. Following up the track, he noon found that it was the 'spoor' of several women and boys, going in the direction of the enemy. A tell-tale leaf, which he saw lying a few yards coff the track, whereas there were po trees for miles convinced him that the party had come from a village some 15 miles distant, where trees with leares of this kind grew. The leaf was damp, and smelt of native beer. He guessed, therefore, that women and boys, according to their custom, had been carrying pots of native beer on their heads, and that the mouths of the pots had been stopped with bunches of leaves. That it was lying ten yards off the track showed to DEPARTURE OF THE 2ND SYDNEY | the military Sherlock Holmes that a wind had been blowing at the time it fell. was then nearly 7 in the morning, and to drink the beer at once, and that by the time he could reach them they would be him a favourable chance of reconnectring their position. He accordingly followed he supposed, made his observations, and got away with valuable information without any difficulty.

Stearns' Wine of Cod Liver Oil

SUPREMA COURT. IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS: (Before His Hon. W. Meigh Goodman Acting Chief Justice.) Friday, January 19.

CONSPIRADY TO CHEAT AND DEFRAUD. Pang Hing Yan and Pang Tak Ying were charged with forging a deed with intent to defraud, and with conspiracy to cheat and charged with personating with intent fraudulently to obtain certain property.

appeared for the prosecution; Mr J. J. apponred for the defence.

ation of the circumstances out of which Lordship's attention to the facts stated ed with him to defrayd. The offence arose with hard labour. minco surrondered these deeds to the proper | tioned it, I had not the slightest idea of persons, so that as far as possible reparation what had taken place. had been made by the defendants for the asked his Lordship to bear in mind that the defendants were both men of some position in the Colony. With reference to the second prisoner he asked that his Lord ship would bear in mind the provisions the First Offenders Act. Under the circumstances, no mischief having been actually done and considering that the whole matter was a family trouble, and young man whose interests were injuriously

his way to imposing a fine instead of sending the prisoners to gool. Mr Pollock asked for the extreme penalty of the law for the misdemeanour. It was only in consideration of the fact that it was sonted not to go on with the first and second charges and accept his friend's pleaof guilty on behalf of the defendants on the third count. With all respect to his learned frient, he maintained that he had been attempting to do what he said yesterday be could not do-really attempting to put forward that there was no wicked or criminal. action in what they did. That was an exact contradiction of the charge to which

affected, he hoped his Lordship would see

On passing sentence, his Lordship said-There are circumstances in this case to which I think it my duty to call attention. On 14th November, 1899, a writ was issued Supreme Court, on behalf of a little boy named Pang Sui Cheung, by his next friend, against the two prisoners as defendated 24th October, 1898, purporting to be an assignment by the first prisoner of an undivided moiety of Section L of Inland Lot No. 202, should be declared frandulent they throw the son of the master of the on the ground that the assignee, who purported to be the little boy plaintiff, was that the deed should be cancelled and the places but broken out periodically liveto dean a. The Police are nettrely ough got registration thereof at the Land Office should be vacated and the interest of the first prisoner in the property as trustee for the little boy, should be assigned and invested in some other trustee for him. other words, it was suggested that the first prisoner had, in reality, assigned to the second prisoner the property of the little hoy with a view to cheat the child out of the land to which he was entitled of the Board to think the matter over beas beneficiary. On the 6th Decemher. 1899. Mr Recce, the solicitor 98 for the plaintiff, applied to me for a 50 decree in the civil suit, by consent of de-57 fendants, practically in terms of the writ;

> We the undersigned Pang Hing Yau, 15 of No. 7 Pottinger Street, Victoria, Hongkong, shroff, and Pang Tak Ying, of No. 177 30 Hollywood Road, Victoria, aforesaid, trader. 35 hereby consent to the indenture of assign-85 ment bearing date the 24th day of October, I these people had had two months in which Pang Hing Yau of the one part and Pang them reasonable time to do the work. Sui Cheung (in fact personated by Pang Ten days' notices had been served during vided half part or share of and in Section | ten days' notice was barely up. During I. of Inland Lot No. 202, being set aside the past fortnight only seven out of 105 and cancelled, and to the Registration there- t-nements had been lime-washed. There of at the Land Office being vacated, and to were still some 600 houses in the Western all the estate and interest of Pang Hing District not limewashed assigned to er yest d in Pang Tam Shi, or reply to the communication sent by the some other trustee or trustees for the be- Board to the Government at the pravious

and filed the following document as an ex-

\$93,840.77 neht of her son, Pang Sui Cheung. 'Dated this 3rd day of November, 1899.' being able to proceed more expeditionaly General Gatacre's division was repulsed. Witness, J. F. Recce, Signed in Chinese by in regard to these prosceutions? Solicitor, Hongkong, Pang Hing Yau Interpreted, etc., etc. and Pang Tak

I found, however, that criminal proceedings | night thrown away when they were on the of Magerafoutein totalled nearly 2000. at the time at the Magistracy, and I had my the delay of the Government themselves. river with stones round their necks. suspicious that, when my decree had been | He thought the Government ought to be | Dec. 21.-Lord Methuen is awaiting the obtained the criminal procedings would be lasked in a case of this sort to give the arrival of cavalry and artillery reinforcend conspiracy might not be proceeded with. I could not understand otherwise, outbreak occurred early in March, and it Boers opposite the British position. why pending a remand at the Magistracy. Mr Reece, the solicitor for the prosecution, influx of people from Conton at the time dite, it has been ascertained that during should have interviewed the prisoners with of the Races. He understood that there the battle of Magersfontein many of the was plague in Canton now. his interpreter and obtained from them, a document so fatal to their chance of defending themselves, especially as the pri- intimation to that effect sonors were defended by solicitor, at all tigation of the charge at the Magistracy was costainly agree with Mr. Osborne that the ley has sufficient provisions to last for six commenced on 25th Oct., 1899, and there infection will be carried to Hongkong. If months. were a great many remands. The prosecu- this was the way important matters were to there was no wind, but there had been a to hush up the criminal aspect of the case, before about two hours before. Baden to hours before Baden to hours before Baden to hours before a large force of police was General to the matter so that any attempt | the future. guessed that the men would probably start third count, which alleges that they con- gambling. ber, 1898, felsely and frandulently to cheat being done getting sleepy from it, and therefore give and defrand the little boy, Pang Sui Cheung. Mr. McKie then asked if nothing could out of his undivided unity of the be done to get themotices usued at a more land known as Section I of Inland Lat rapid rate the women's tracks, found the enemy as 202. Now, when one looks at Dr Clark pointed out that the delay was the dead of the 24th October, 1898, occasioned by the insufficiency of the staff, it is clear that the document is a francial. The Inspector of the district had to visit ent conveyance. It recites, interplies, that each house and also attend to his other the first prisoner is trustee to assign the work. property to Pang Sui Cheung on his attain. De Hartigan moved that the Government terday suffering from a severe attack should be taken in conjunction with a jug manhood. The first prisoner, therefore, the asked to grant the services of snother of comp colic, writes h F. Hess, miller properly selected distance. Under such knew to was a trustee. It further recites man to hurry on the inspections so that and general merchant. Dickey's Mountain, regime, coupled with life in the open that Paug Sui Cheung had attained the age they might proceed with the prosecutions. Part He had tried various floring femedies our, and proper exercise, the patient will of twenty one years and had requested the with all possible speed. They were now in without relief. As I had used Chamberlain's improve incre rapidly then under the old first prisoner to assign to him. As a mat- a very critical position, and they should Colie, Cholers and Dischool Remedy I treatment of plain COD LIVER OIL, or for of fact, this was a falsehood, for the make every affort to have things exactly before and it soon brought him its Emissions. It is easily borne by the little boy is now only seven or eight years before the epidemic commenced, as it out. out alright. I never now a fellow so re- most delicate stomach: Wholesele and of age, but to carry through the fraud the bainly would tolce. Sold by All Datiers, Watkins & Co., Retail from A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., second prisoner personated the boy and be. Major Brown seconded. came a party to the deed, as if he had been

the boy grown up to manhood. Of course, after registration at the Land Office, which was duly effected, the deed being duly drawn up at the solicitor's office, there was nothing to prevent the second prisoner from assigning the property to a purchaser and going off with the money. For tunn oly, however, this has not been done. I adjourned the case yesterday to allow of Russia for Delagos Bay, accompanied by affidavits in mitigation of sontence being filed. The prisoners have, respectively, filed an affidavit each accordingly. The defraud. The second prisoner was also, at the request of Pang Kong, the father of made Commander-in-Chief of St. Potersthe little boy. Pang Kong died last May, burg, and when the Governorship of Warshw and I am not aware of any evidence which | become vacant the Emperor conferred the I believe in support of this charge against post upon Gourko in token of his confid-Hon. H. E. Pollock, Acting Attorney his memory. The second prisoner alleges ence in him.]. General (instructed by Mr. F. B. L. Bowley) in his affidavit that he was only eighteen years old on 24th October, 1898, and that Francia (instructed by Mr H. W. Looker) he executed the deed under the influence of his mother and uncle (since deceased) . Mr Francis having intimated that the and in entire ignorance of what he was defendants had pleaded guilty to the third really doing. But the deed recites that count of the information, said he had to the boy whom he personated had arrived appeal to his Lordship for his merciful con- at manhood, and though I am willing eideration of the offence to which they had to make some allowance in consideration pleaded guilty, and asked his Lordship to of the second prisoners age, I believe reported. inflict upon them the lightest punishment he knew perfectly well he was that could reasonably be given, in consider | party to a wicked and fraudulent proceeding. I will deal with the case unthe offence name. Mr Francis drew his | der Ordinance 14 of 1898, and of course sentence the prisoners only on the count in the depositions, from which it appeared to which they have pleaded guilty. The that the first defendant, as the holder of sentence on the first prisoner is two years. cortain deeds, had endervoured to obtain imprisonment with hard labour and on Reports have been received by the Police something out of the property for his own the second prisoner (as he is young) the honefit, and the second defendant conspir- sentence will be one years imprisonment; the waters of Mirs Bay on the morning of out of a family dispute. Defendants had | Mr Francis-Until your Lordship men-

> THE SANITARY BOARD AND PLAGUE,

PRECAUTIONS AGAINST A RENEWED

At the meeting of the Sanitary Board yesterday. Mr Osborne proposed that special efforts be made by the Board to prose cuto the owners of 579 tenements not Chief in South Africa, declare that he had cleansed during the last quarter of last year. The mortality returns showed, unfortunately, the thin end of the wedge of a visitation of plague, and, judging from the experience of previous years, they were going to have another outbreak and they might expect it to commence very shortly. Therefore, as guardians of the public health, they ought to bear in mind the warnings given to them by Dr Manson and other nuthori ties and take time by the forelock and do all they could to prevent an outbreak this year. They ought to prosecute these offenders vigorously. Goodness know they had reminded them enough during the past year. They had reminded these owners of filthy tenements to do their duty and to cleanse these places. It could not be for want of

carried out in the interval.

The Secretary replied that no intimation

The taction was carried.

had been received.

warning; it was downright, wilful die and L'Aurentium, the Cunard steamer regard of the law, and he considered that no mercy whatever should be shown to porsons. Another point in connection with the threatened outbreak of plague was the influx of visitors to the colony to South Africa :- Cymiric (White Star), during China New Year and during the Indian and Pacific). plague had broken out particularly, after Capa Colony. the Races, and it had been supposed that there was some connection between this influx of dirty people from Canton and the

first outbreak of plague. He was not prepared at the moment to say what they could do, but he would ask every member shot during the retreat of the British. Dec. 21.-The colonial scouts attached tween then and the next meeting and see to the British forces in Natal have seized whother they could not devise some means stock to the value of £15,000 belonging to disloyal farmers in Natal. to mitigate this horrible acourge.

Mr McKie said that at the previous meeting power was given to prosecute offenders as regarded lime-washing. He should like to in great numbers. know whether the prosecutions had been

Dr Clark said that owing to difficulties attingent stops to prevent disloyalty and to steam when the vessel is travelling on pointed out by him at the previous meeting. of the Board it was necessary, although 1898, and expressed to be made between to do it, to serve notices on them giving unless they are largered in spots which he made slowly and was unsafe. Tak Ying) of the other part, of one undi- the past fortnight on the effenders and that of Cape Colony have reinforced the Boers

says that the fear of the consequences of

going over to the Boers, and not a question You in the said half part or share being Dr Hartigan asked of there had been any Colony. The members of the Afrikander Bund, he adds, are unanimously disloyal. meeting as to the necessity of the Board fought with the Boors at Stormberg when

Lord Methuen's Column. London, Dec. 18.—Information has been Dr Hartigan said they bad now a fort- received that the Buer losses at the battle

against the two prisoners were proceeding brink of another outbrok simply through Over a hundred bodies were found in the dropped and that the charges of forgery necessary information as soon as possible. ments from Capetown before making another This delay was a serious matter. The first, attack on the enemy. There are 15,000 paper charges. was believed that it was introduced by the As illustrating the deadly effect of Lyd-

enemy were killed by the shock of the ex-Dr Atkinson-There has been no official plosions as they stood upright. Dec. 22.-Lord Methuen nightly ex-Dr. Hartigan There is a fairly strong changes signals by electric flashlight with events from 6th November. The investimpression that plague is there, and I Colonel Kekewich at Kimberley. Kimber-

A British officer of Lord Methuen's force tion was a private one, and I deemed it my be treated by the Government, they might went forward into the Boer lines protected duty to call the attention of the Attorney Skink of the treatment they would get in by a flag of truce, and was arrested by the

breeze about two hours before. Baden- if a crime had really been committed, in matter were being circulated among the Boers protesting against the arrest, was in-Powell read from these signs that during consideration of the cancellation of the deed, members of the Executive Council, and solently answered by General Cronjo, who the night a party of women had brought beer from the village, 15 miles distant, and had taken it to the enemy on the hills, arriving there about 6 o'clock. He further striving there about 6 o'clock. He further prismers pleaded guilty yesterday to the Races was to place some restriction on the subject.

> he declines to hold communications with Lord Methuen until the end of the war. Disappearing guns are harassing Lord lethuen's right.

The Volunteers.

Audland, Dec. 21.-The Covernor bes

THE WAR.

Russian General Bound for Delagoa Bay.

London, Dec. 26 -General Gourko, the well-known Russian commander, has le two Dutch officers.

[General Gourko is the most distinguished of Russian military commanders. After first prisoner alleges that he had no covering himself with glory during the fraudulent intent, but executed the dead Russo-Turkish war he was, in 1679,

> Dec. 27. The Daily News states that was Colonel Adye, Lientenant General Sir G. S. White's staff officer accompanying Lieutonant-Colono Carloton's brigade, who hoisted the white flag at Nicholson's Nek. and not a subordinate officer, as previously

The Nicholson's Nels Incident.

The Tugela Fight. Dec. 22.-The following is a revised lis f the British casualties at the battle o

Prisoners 48 The Dublin Fusiliers had 38 men killed and 147 wounded, and the Con-

unught Rangers 24 killed and 102 wounded:

soldier killed at Tugela.

Dec. 26.-An average of 60 empty car-

Their comrades wept with rage to see the abandoned guns surrounded by heaps of wounded soldiers and horses. The gans which were captured by the Boers are uscless to the enemy.

Unheeded Warnings. Dec. 22.—The friends of Major-General

fully advised the War Office of the Boer The Daily Meil says that Field-Marshal Lord Wolseloy was urgently and persistently advised to dispatch an ampy corps to South

Africa months ago. The Daily News says that the London managers of the Johannesburg Banks were snubbed for warning the War Office of the Transvaal's vast remittances to the gun factories at Creusot in France and Ess-n

(Krupp's) in Germany Dec. 26 .- A resident of Capetown warned the Government of Cape Colony in 1894 that he had seen at Pretonia written plans of an anti-British compaign. He also states that he remembers the adoption by the Transvarl Government of tactics similar to those followed out in the present campaign.

Charter of Transports.

Dec. 22.—The Imperial Government has chartered the P. and O. steamer Assaye, the Allan line steamers Parisian. Pomeranian. Umbria, and the Donald Curris line steamer Bruemur Castle as transports for the conveyance of reinforcements to South Africa.

Dec. 27-The following liners have been chartered as transports by the British Government for the conveyance of troops Norseman (British and North Atlantic), Loke Eric (Lake line), and American (West

London, Dec. 18 .- Two persons have been arrested for treasonable conduct in connection with the reverse to Major-General Gatacre's force at Stormborg. Dec. 19. The guides who led Major-General Gutacre's troops into a difficult

The Boers are massing in great force at the camp at Stormberg The disloyal cease work on the two sister boats until Dutch are joining the ranks of the enemy the defects in the Narval have been

minimise spying: He has excluded all male the surface to electricity, which is issued within a radius of 12 miles of his camp trial it w a shown that this change was Dec. 27:—One thousand Dutch residents

The Times correspondent at Sterkstroom

of loyalty, prevents a general rising in Cape It has transpired that 1850 disloyalists

Dec. 27.—General Cronje, the Boer comspired and agreed together, on 24th Octo- Mr McKie said he believed that that was mander at Magersfontein, has potified that

received the following cable from Mr Chamberlain - General French, reporting the New Zealanders were most steady under fire at close range. I am glad that my the colonial forces are fully confirmed. The General also cables that the British

London (Alderman Alfred James Newton) | war and of Chamberlain, and declaring that to raise a corps of 1000 London volunteer | the latter's visit to Ireland at such a moment marksmon for service in South Africa. was proof of his callous nature. The The City Corporation has voted £25,000 speakers urged that, should an opportunity for the equipment of the corps, and the occur, Dublinites aught to skow their public of Lundon has raised over £20,000, detestation of the Columnia Secretary in including sums of \$5000 each from Lord unmistakable fashion. Rothschild, Mr Alfred Beit (formerly one Davitt said: All Irishmen rejoice in of the directors of the British South Africa the triumphs of the Boers. No power in Company), and the Mercurs Company. Europe would now four Great Britain, ex-Mr. Charles H. Wilson, M.P. for West | cept perhaps the Prince of Monaco.

The freedom of the City of London is to Davitt, was carried denouncing the way and be presented to every volunteer whose calling upon the powers, particularly the service may be accepted.

Doc. 25. The Hon. Lionel Walter independence of the Boer Republic. Rothschild and Mr. T. Brassey, eldest son service in South Africa,

the Yeomanny volunteering for South

Major-General J. P. D. French's division arrested Connolly. were in a tight corner in the action near Arundel, between Nasupoort and Colesborg, on the 18th instant. They returned a hail of bullets poured in by the enemy at short range. There were many narrow escapes, several of the New Zealanders

bullets.

the members of the New Zealand contin- blage at the coremony. The undergratingent who was wounded in the engage- dustes gathered on the college grounds and ment near Arundel, is likely to recover. | sang patrictic songs. Then they sallied to River says that it is difficult to over and carrying the Royal Standard and the estimate the effect of the loyalty displayed Union Jack. by Australia and Canada. The colonial Chamberlain and his wife and Lady Betty tridges was found beside each British the British troops. The New South Wales ! Lancers have given proof of their courage and amenability to discipline. The onthusiasm of the colonies; the Times representative adds, is encouraging to all fighters, the motherland.

for the Imperial Yeomanry Brigade being stration. As the procession entered the organised for service in South Africa.

Miscellaneous.

London, Dec. 18 .- Mr Davis. United States Assistant-Secretary for the Interior. has gone to the Transvanl to insist upon the right of his Government to protect British interests there.

the Boers posted the Germans, Hollanders. and Irish serving in their army in the most | Africa, but England had always been acdangerous positions in every fight. The British Government has ordered a

supply of 25,000 shrapnel shells from Krupp's factory at Essen, in Germany. Dec. 22. - Immense quantities of shrapnol shells and cartridges are being manufactured to the order of the War Office by Nobel's Explosives Company. Glasgow, and Kynoch, Limited, manufact exhorted the students, now that he was one turers of ammunition, explos as, and of their doctors, to practise the virtues of

Dec. 27 .- The Boers allege that Mr Winston Churchill escaped from Pretoria in the Dec. 27.—Three members of the Chie

House of Assembly have been implicated The members of the Afrikander Bund at Capetown report that 8000 officers and men skilled in artillory tactics are held in reserve at Pretoria.

The British cruiser Forte, one of ressels of the Cape of Good Hope and West African station, has captured a cargo of strotchers and railway sloupers in Delagon; students who attacked the Mausion House Bay intended for the Boers. Before leaving England Lord Roberts obtained a promise that the 16th Lancers, stationed in the Punjab, should be despatch-

ed to South Africa.

French Submarine Torpedo Bost.

Paris. December 13.—Optimistic counts which were printed recently regarding the trial of the aubmarine torpedo-boat Narval are discounted by the fact that an order has been issued to remodied. The chief difficulty seems to Dec. 26. -General Gatacre has taken be in changing the motive power from colonists over 12 years of age from coming while she is under water. During the

> Austrian Cabinot to Resign. Vionna, Dec 20 .- The New Breis Presse confirms the report that Count Clary Adringer, the Premier, will tender the resig-

nation of the Cabinet, owing to the impossibility of carrying on Parliamentary business in consequence of Czech obstruction.

German Attache in Paris. Berlin, Dec. 16 .- Emperor William's com nending its use to the Pope's physiintention to withdraw Major Baron Suest - Frians kind, German military attache in Paris, an cabled some time, has just been carried Chicago for Rome, taking with him a conout. The event is considered of prime signment of lymph for Dr Baldwin's use. importance. His majesty had become thoroughly disgusted with the attacks and insimuations of the Paris press regarding the activity of the Gorman military attaches and the numerous private and official reports which had reached him on the subject

His keen sense of honor was aroused, capecially as he considers that German officers who are popularly regarded by Diseases, Pimples, and Sures of all kinds its their countrymen as above reproach in effects are marvellous. Thousands of wonderful military matters ought not to be expected cares have been effected by it. Sold everywhere to furnish the home government informa- at 21. 9d. Beware of worthless imitations and tion inconsistent with any sense of honor.

bearing out partially, at least, the news-

Pro-Boer Demonstration in Ireland.

Diblin, December 17 .- The announcement that a pro-Boer meeting would be been received. It says a desultory bomconvened to-day as a protest against the bardment was continuing and that the proposal of Trinity College to confer a de-

publican, drove in a wagonette to the place that day did not explode. It was orened appointed for the meeting, which was at- and found to contain a letter as follows : tended by a lar e crowd. Connolly tried Dear Powell (Colonel Baden-Howell) to speak, but was prevented by the police. Excuse iron messonger; no other means of The wagonette then made a tour of the communicating. Please tell Mrs - mother street, the crowd rapidly increasing, cheer and family all well. Don't drink all the ing for the Boers, singing God Save whisky. Leave some for ut when we get Ireland and We'll Hang Joe Chamber in. lain ou a Sour Apple Tree, and using disgusting expressions against the Queen, the empire and the army. While passing Dublin Castle the occopauts of the wagonette waved the DEOPLE overlooked the impurance of pron the operations of December 18, says Transvat! flag deliantly, whereupon the I permanently beneficial effects and were

prospect the offer of the Lord Mayor of specking in violent condemnation of the Co., wholesale or retail.

Hull, has offered to fit out a transport Redmond said : Mr. Chamberlain decorps. The offer is oquivalent to a dona serves not doctors, but executioners. Ultimately a resolution, proposed by United States, to take stops to insure the

While Mand Gonne was speaking some of Lord Brassey, have volunteered for one shouted a reference to the Phoenix Park murders The Chairman and Davitt Dec. 26.—The sum of £50,000 has been | warmly protested, however, that no violence subscribed in Northumberland to assist should be shown. The meeting closed a mid tremondous cheers evoked by a rumor that Africa. Yorkshire is raising 250,000 for Ludysmith had fallen. Mand Gonne and Connolly drove off with the intention of The New Zealand troops attached to helding open-air meetings, but the police

Mr Joseph Chamberlain in Dublin.

Dublin, December 18 .- At Trinity College this aftotnoon the honorary degree of having their clothing perferated by Boer | Doctor of Laws was conferred on Joseph Chamberlain, British Scorptary of State for Dec. 27.—Trooper G. Bradford, one of the Colonies. There was a brilliant assem-The Times war correspondent at Modder | the college grown, cheering vecificously

detachments are extremely popular with Balfour, when driving to the college, were cheered at some points, but there was a noticeable difference of epinion among the crowds lining the streets. While the proession was massing from the provost's residence to Examination Hall the cheering shames many waverers into loyalty, and was deafening. The atudents lined the imposes a heavy debt of gratitude upon passage and held affect Union Jacks ander which the procession passed Chamberlain Twenty thousand men have volunteered appeared to thoroughly enjoy the demon-

hall all the people present rose and cheered. At the close of the ceremony Chamberlain, in response to the cries of the students. said they had met under very disappointing circumstances. If the armagements had been recent, he added, he would not have chosen the present occasion to receive the honor from the university. Their minds. Dec. 21 .- It has been ascertained that Mr. Chamberlain continued, were made solemn by the serious news from South customed to hold her own in adversity. He was old enough to remember the Crimes and the early period of the Indian muting, when England mot with greater disasters than she had just experienced, but eventually the nation agrang to its feet and recovered its equatimity; no doubt it would Limited do so ngain. In conclusion Chamberlain toleration and patience:

The students made a demonstration at the Mansion House, where they toro the green corporation flag to shreds and caused other damage. The police were forced to intervene, and took the Union Jack from the students. The students returned to the college in an ugly mood. They made a despurate effort to recapture the Union Jack, but the police were too strong for them. In the meantime a hostile crowd had assembled on the college green and more stringent measures were taken to keep the students within the 2stes. The numbered about 150. They beat the care-

The Health of the Pope.

poration Hag.

taker, who attempted to protect the cor-

Chicago, Dec. 16. - What European medical science has been unable to accomplish. American physicians may. The condition of Pupe Lee XIII has for some time been such as to seriously worry his medical attendants, and in their efforts to find a remedy for the aged pontiff America has been appealed to. Word comes from Rome that the medical attendants of the Pope are seriously considering the advisability of ineculating him with goats! lymph in the hope of counteracting the effects of advancing

age from which he is now suffering. Dr B. F. Roberts, the American physician who has won fame by discovering a means of utilizing the countive properties of the lymph by keeping the cells in an active state, is now in Rome, where he has been the guest of Dr Baldwin, a member of the American colony of the Eternal City, who holds the post of medical advisor to the medical staff of the Vatiena and also to the royal family of Italy. Dr Roberts wrote to riends in this city several days ago that he had discussed the merits of the lymph with Dr Baldwin, that the latter had become excoodingly interested in the matter, and had suggested that he be supplied with samples. of the fluid in order that he might acquaint himself with its properties and its effects on the human system with the purpose of re-

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The Humours of Mafeking.

The last news from Mafeking has just describes a novel mothod of sonding a mes-Maud Gonne, the so-called . Irish Joan leage, adopted by some Boer, December 4th. of Arc. and James Connolly, the Irish Re- A five-pounder shell fired into the town

IN OLDEN TIMES

police stopped the vehicle and seized the satisfied with transient action but now flag. The wagonette, attended by a large that it is generally known that Syrup of anticipations as to the value and quality of body of police, who often cleared the streets, Figs will permanently overcome habitual then drove to the mome of the Irish constitution, well-informed people will not Transvasi committee, where Michael Davitt, buy other laxatives, which act for a time. estimated loss at Colenso was 145 officers | William Redmond and J. O'Brien were but finally injure the system. Buy the nd men killed."

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For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, January 17, 1900.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP SAINT REGULUS. FROM NEW YORK AND STRAITS

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARP AND Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be TTHE Company's Steamship

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Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & Co., LTD., Agents. Hongkong, January 16, 190 .



For Sales by A. S. Warson & Co., Chen's

Inst., at Daylight. MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA,

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Hongkong, January 17, 1900. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR MANILA. THE Company's Steamship

SUNGKLANG. Captain Moone, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 21st Inst. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. The Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ... BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

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> Hongkong, December 11, 1899. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED.

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FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Steamship

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CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE,

No Claims will be admitted after the Captain Anderson, will be despatched or THURSDAY, the 15th Feb., at No n. The attention of Passengers is directed. to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. The First-class Saloon is situsted forward of the Engines. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly-

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, January 6, 1900.

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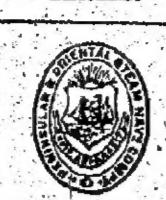
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Captain Jaokson, will be desputched as shove on TUESDAY, the 20th February, For Freight, apply to

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Hongkong, January 18, 1900.

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PLYMOUTH AND LONDON. Through Bills of Lading issued for BATA-VIA, PERSIAN, GULF, CONTIN-ENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS

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Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed via Bombay with Tranship-

Parcels will be received at this Office until-4 p.m. on the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Com-

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pany's Bills of Lading.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA. TO SAN FRANCISCO, VIA INLAND

SEA OF JAPAN & HONOLULU. PROPOSED SATERINGS FROM HONGRONG, America Maru, (via) Shanghai, Nagasaki, SATURDAY, Jan. Kobe, Inland Ses, Yo-27, at Noon. kohama & Honolulu)

Hongkong Maru, (vis S'hai, N'saki, Kobe, Thursday, Feb. Inland Sea, Yoko- 22, at Noon. hama and Honolulu). Nippon Maru, (via) Shanghai, Nagasaki, Tuesday, March Kobe, Inland Sea, Yo- 20, at Noon.

kohama & Honolulu) TTHE S. S. AMERICA MART wil L be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO. via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA & HONO-LULU, on SATURDAY, the 27th Jan., at Noon, taking Freight and Passengers for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONOLULU, and Passengers are allowed. to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by ali trans-Atlantic lines of steamers and to the prin-

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and Freight, apply to the Agency of the CE TR AL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC Company, Queen's Building. J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent. Hongkong, January 4, 1900.

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IN CONNECTION WITH THE ATCHESON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FI RAILROAD Co.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG TO SAN DIEGO, AND SAN FRANCISCO, VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

Taking Cargo and Passengers to JAPAN PORTS, and HONOLULU, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, THE CENTRAL and SOUTH AMERICA,

S.S. Carlide Cly ... On 21st January. S.S. Carmarthenshire About 10th Feb. S.S. Belgian King ... About 21st Feb. S.S. Thera, 3408 Tons ... About 6th March. S.S. Lady Joicey, 3194, About 31st March.

THE S. S. Carlisle City will be despatched for SAN DIEGO, and SAN FRANCISCO, Via KOBE, YOR OHAMA and HONOLULU, on 21st January. Through Bills of Lading issued to any

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& ORIENTAL STEAM CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAN NAVIGATION COMPANY

WITHL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES named :-YOKOHAMA. ViaS. DE B. LOCKYER, B.N.R. About 20th January. N'KI & KOBE ... Robilla SHANGHAI..... Bengal...... S. BARCHAM About 20th January

MARSEILLES, & LONDON PARRAMATTA...31st March. Freight or Passage.

(Without Transhipment). MASSILIA.......14th April. + For Freight (only): * See Special Advertisement.

For Freight or passage, and further Particulars, apply to H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N Co.'s Office, Hongkong, January 12, 1900.

TEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN. SUEZ, PORT SAID, NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN/HAMBURG; PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS;

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N WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of January, 1900, at Noon, the Steamship KARL SRUITE, of the Nordbeutscher Lloyd, Captain G. Dannemann, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO will leave this Port as above, Calling at NAPLES and GENOA.

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Kobe, Inland Sea, 27, at Noon. Y'hame and H'lalu), THE U . S. Chartered S.S. ALGOA will L be de espatched for SAN FRANCISCO, tid MOJ L KOBE, and YOKOHAMA, on Special rates (first class only) are granted or about THURSDAY, the 1st March,

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J. S. VAN BUREN, Hongkong, Jan. 18, 1900.

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hama & Honolulu). Gaelie (via Shanghai,) Kobe, Tuesday, Feb. 13, Inland Sca, Yokoat Moon, 1900. hauia & Honolulu). Dorio (via Shanghai. Nagasaki, Kobe, Saturday, Blarch

Inland Sea, Yoko-10, at Noon. hama & Honolulu). THE Co.'s Steamship COPTIC will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO. INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONO-LULU, on SUNDAY, the 21st January,

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passengers Tickets granted to England, France and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates and particulars of the various routes may be obtained upon applications

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Hongkong, January 18, 1900. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY FOR LONDON PIA SUEZ CANAL,

J. S. VAN BUREN.

above on TUESDAY, the 6th Fobruary. For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Hongkong, December 29, 1899. 2800 SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.'s STEAMSHI

Captain Towers, will be despatched as

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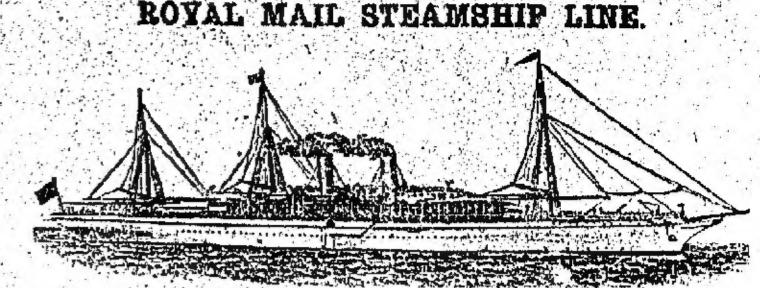
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Hongkeng, January 8, 1900,

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D. E. BROWN, General Agent, Hongkong, January 18, 11.00. PEDDER STREET.

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NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

(THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.)

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG-SUBJECT TO ALTERATION. Sailing Dates. Destinations. Steamers.) SATURDAY, 20th KASUGA MARU. NAGASAKI, KOBE & E. W. HASWELL, **ҮОКОНАМА.** Jan ; at 4 p.m. MONDAY, 22nd SAKURA MARU, YOKOHAMA (DIRECT) Jan, at 4 p.m. WM. GREENE, MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, FRIDAY, 26th YAWATA MARU, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, A. E. Moses, Jan., at 4 p.m. SYDNEY and MELBOURNE MARSEILLES, LONDON, and

ANTWERP, Via

SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOM-

BO and PORT SAID.

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A. S. MIHARA, Manager. Hongkong, January 19, 1900.

FRIDAY, 26th

Jan., at Daylight.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP CO.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

Via Shanghai, Inland Sea of Japan, Kobe and Yokehama. FOR VIOTORIA, B.C., AND TACOMA FOR PORTLAND, OREGON, IN CONNECTION WITH IN CONNECTION WITH Oregon Railroad & Navigation Co. Northern Pacific Railway Co. · Captain Steamer Tons Tons Captain. Steamer. bergeldie. 3777 J. Murray Feb. Breconshire ... 3567 G. E. Elliott . Jan.

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HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE. (FREIGHT SERVICE). (FREIGHT SERVICE).

LONDON, LIVERFOOL, GLASCOW, TRIESTE, GENOA, PORTS in the LEVANTE; BLACK SEA and BALTIC PORTS; NORTH and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS). PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTEEDAM, ROTTERDAM, LISEON, UPORTO,

SUBJECT TO ALTERATION. Sailing Dates. Destinations. HAVRE and HAMBURG, (London (On 29th) Freight. S. S. WITTENBERG. with transhipment in H'burg). January. Capt. MAUSEN, HAVRE and HAMBURG. About 8th Freight. (L'don with transhipment in H'burg). February. S. S. HOLSATIA, Capt. BAHLE, * S. S. BALELSBERG, \ HAVEE and HAMBURG. (London About 15th Freight & with transhipment in H burg. February. | Passage. Capt. Prayr. HAVRE and HAMMURG. (London (About 27th) Freight. with transhipment in H'burg). (February.) S. S. WESTPHALIA. Capt. STRUNCK. S. ASTURIA.

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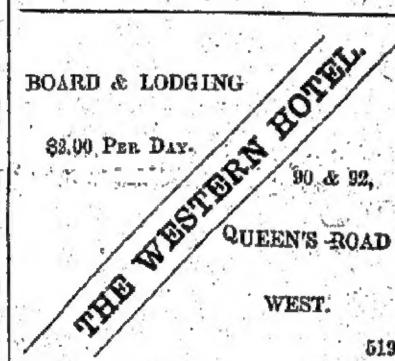
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London, December 15: The reserves get a little of what painters call perspective on it the Royal Irish Regiment paraded at Alderthat this morning in full marching order. They will embark for South Africa to-morrow from Southmenton,

Cold Weather in cermany.

Berlin, December 20 .- The weather is again intensely cold throughout Germany. varying from ten to eighteen degroes below zero. Henvy snows have fallen in the Sudeten mountains, and lie from four to ive feet deep.

The Financial Market.

London, December 20.-The Daily Chronicle, in its financial article this morning, says :- The fear of a large new issue of consols undoubtedly overlyings the market. Already the price at which the Govern-ment could place them is being discussed. On Monday some leading financiers thought the issue might bout 95. Yester day (Tuesday) 90 seemed more like the figure at which £10,000,000 could be sold but the Government could not put out a larger amount just now at any figure." London, December 19 .- The failure of the London and Northern Bank (limited a comparatively small concern, was announced to-day. The directory issued a a statement attributing the failure to the alleged libelous assertions regarding the hank which drive appeared in the press. The bank's assets, according to the directors, should fully cover the liabilities.

Admiral von Diedrichs.

Berlin, December 20 .- Admiral Otto von Diedrichs has been appointed, chief of the naval general staff. Vice-Admiral Buildemanu has been appointed to command the cruiser squadron in succession to Prince Henry of Prussia, who is coming home. Admiral von Diedrichs commanded the German fleet at Manila.

Volunteers for South Africa, New York, December 16 .- Many thousands of loval Britons have been calling at the British Consulate in this city in the last few days, offering their services to their mother country in her struggle with the Boers. Sir Percy Sanderson, the British Consul-General, said to-day that since the outbreak of the war he had received many thousand applications from fellow-countrymen in this city who were ready and willing to enlist and go the front. Individuals and societies had come to the Consular office daily, he said, tendering their services Many of them had borne

arms and a great many were battle-scarred veterans. The most, however, were very "We can't do anything for them," said Sir Percy, 'and as Consul-General I have] no authority to enlist their services. Besides, I have no money with which to equip them or transport them to the scat of war. A British Consulate is not a re-

cruiting office. Sir Percy also called attention to section 5382 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, which forbids foreign countries enlisting soldiers here.

Tacoma Girl Now a Countess. London, December 19 .- The Earl of

was born January 19, 1810. The death of the aged Earl of Tankerville is of special interest to Americans, before. The 'evangelist' did not get the hecause his eldest son, Lord Bennet, mar- 250. He got six months. ried a prominent young lady of Tacoma, Wash., Miss Leonora Van Marter, who now, by the succession of her husband to his father's title, becomes Countees of Tankerville. The marriage took place in Tacoma on October 23, 1895.

Miss Van Marter was born and brought my in Europe. Her father, Dr J. G. Van Marter, a wealthy American, resided with his family in Rome for many years, but went to Tucoms eight years ago. He has large property interests there. While traveling on the Continent some years ago Lord Bennet met Miss Van Marter, who is now 34 years old.

minence in London some years ago as a leader in slum work, carried on by the Church of Eugland. Miss Van Marter was equally enthusiastic in that kind of charity, and after their marriage the couple took a very prominent part in evangelist revivals in Tacoma.

Germany Seeking a Coaling

Station Berlin, December 19 .- Dr von Miquel, Prossian Minister of Finance, has just submitted to Emperor William a special report before Tuesday, the 23rd Instant, or they regarding Prussia's fivance from 1897 to 1899. The report on the whole is favorable, showing a diminution of the Prussian debt. The interest on the debt has diminished from 242,000,000 funks to

221,000, 000 marks. last week occurred a passage indicating for croup. It has become the universal Germany's need of a number of points remedy for that disease. M. V. Fisher of d'appui and coaling stations for the Liberty. W. Va., only repeats what has German newy. This passage was pur- been said around the globe when he writes: posely we orded cautiously, the menning 'I have used Chamberlain's Cough Romody being some what veiled so as not to attract in my family for several years and always the suspice ms of other nations, but there with perfect success. We believe that it is is the best authority for the statement that not only the best cough remedy, but that it Germany's i kims during the next few years is a sure cure for croup. It has saved the will be carm asfly directed to the acquisition lives of our children a number of times, of a number of anch points in parts of the This remedy is for sale by All Dealers, world where German war vessels, in a time Watkins & Co., General Agents. of hostility. would need them, most partien-MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above- larly in the Far East, the Antilles, Cen-

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Madam, the treatment of this girl should have been begun two bundred years ago."

· Probably not, madem, replied this student men and of medicine, and you wouldn't even should I try to explain it," How do you best see a picture on the wall! Why, by standing back and looking through your hollowed fist or through a tube. Well then, let us first read Mrs Coumbes' letter, and afterwards

Bir, she exclaimed, 'I den't understand what

and see if we can understand the leason it tea-In the spring of last year, 1825, she says, 'I had an attack of pleurisy, which left me low and weak. Subsequently I could not get, up my strength, do what I would. My appetite was poor, and after eating I had severe pains about | 27 my ohest, at my side, and between my shoulders. I had monoular pains in my arms and shoulders -in fact all over me. I got little or no sleep, and felt quite worn out in the morning.

As time went on I get weaker and weaker

and was scarcely able to got about. I came to be so low that I thought I never should be better sgain. I saw a doctor and took medicious, but nothing did me any good. In December (1895) my sister, who lives at Oxford, told me of the benefit she had derived from Mother Seigel's Syrap. I got a bottle from Mr Cooper, chemist, Oldbary Road, and after

taking it found great relief. I could cat well, and food agreed with mo; I now gained strength, and after taking four bottles was well as ever and free from all paid hoscolar or otherwise. I know others who have been benefited by the same medicine. You can publish this statement as you like. (Higned) Charlotte Coumbes, 177, Oldbury Road, West

Smethwick, Birmingham, October 6th, 1896. That is her letter—a plant, tructical, and wen written letter. But what do we see behind the simple facts as she sets them down? Is there anything suggested by that attack of pleuricy she speaks of? Was that the beginning? No. Pleurisy is the name given to an inflammation of | Admiral Bruce the spaces or cavities in which the lauge rest. When the inflammation attacks the lungs themselves we call it pnenmonia; if the broughial Mrs A. C. Clarke tubes, bronchitis; and so on. But they are the | Capt. A. C. Clark same thing, from the same cause-namely, impure blood. When the blood is thus polluted, the smallest provocation—a slight cold—may set up thy of the above ailments. Rheumarism (which Mrs Coombes had) belongs to the same

group or family of maladies. But how comes that impurity or corruption of the blood in which these things arise ! I'll tell you, in the hope that you will remember it. Indigestion, dyspepsia, formentation of food in the stomach, torpid liver, which leaves the bile seids in the blood instead of removing them, poisonous dirt and filth from the stomach getting into the So we see that in cases of pleurisy, &c., there is always what the doctors call a 'history' of dyspepsia. Although this lady had keen dyspaptio symptoms after the pleurisy, a previous imporfection of her digestion-whether she realised it or not-hid the foundation for the pleurisy, the rheumatism, and all that followed.

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Do so with indigestion. The eld doctor was right in what he said to the woman about her daughter. The girl confdn't help the neglect of her ancestors; but we can do something towards taking care of ourselves.

An Evangelist. An Australian contemporary says :traveller on the New Zealand railways, who described himself as an evangelist, lost his portmunteau, and made a claim for £50 against the department on account of it. After a while it was found. It contained an Tankerville (Charles Bennet) is dead. - He old black suit of clothes, in one of the packets of which was found a pawnticket for a watch stolen at a church festival years

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